June 2008



#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

2007–2008 School Year Reports

Dear School Board Members and School Personnel:

The Maine Educational Assessment (MEA) is the State's measure of student progress in achieving the State standards known as *Learning Results*, adopted by the Maine Legislature in 1997. These *Learning Results* established goals for what all students should know and be able to do at certain times in their school careers and are the basis for Grade Level/Span Expectations, which describe the assessment standards for each grade. The MEA is administered to students in all grades 3 through 8 to meet state assessment requirements and the requirements of the federal *No Child Left Behind* Act.

The 2007-2008 MEA summary reports contain the results of student achievement in reading and mathematics at all grades, science and technology at grades 4 and 8, and writing at grade 5 based on achievement standards set in 2006 and disaggregated by student and school characteristics. This report, together with MEA individual student and subject-specific class analysis reports, provides support for use in program evaluation and planning.

MEA results reflect scores based on test questions that are taken in common by the approximately 15,000 students in each grade level. Students' scores in each content area are based on answers to a combination of multiple-choice questions and questions that require students to construct an answer. The grade 5 writing reports provide information on a student's ability to respond to a prompt measuring narrative writing. More information about the design of the MEA is available at www.maine. gov/education/mea/index.htm.

I look forward to working with you in support of our continued efforts to improve the quality and effectiveness of the instructional opportunities designed to help all students achieve the high standards of the *Learning Results* and demonstrate that achievement through performance on the Maine Educational Assessment.

Sincerely,

Susan A. Gendron

Commissioner of Education

Susan A. Lendron



### School Report Grade 7

Test Date: March 2008

Code: 12351634

SAU: MSAD 41

School: Penquis Valley High School

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### **SUMMARY OF SCORES**

Test Date: March 2008 7

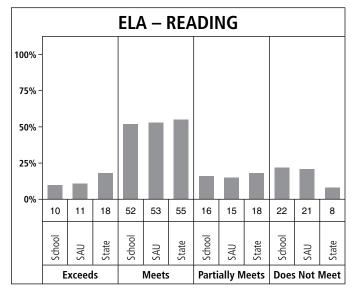
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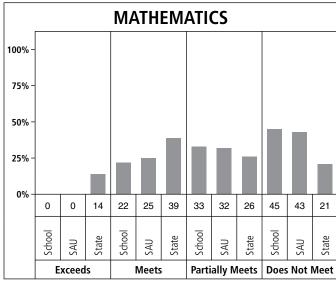
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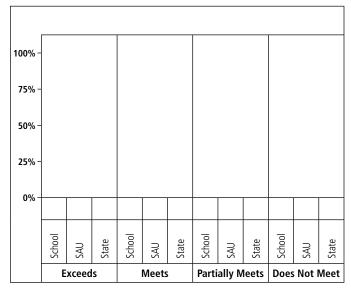
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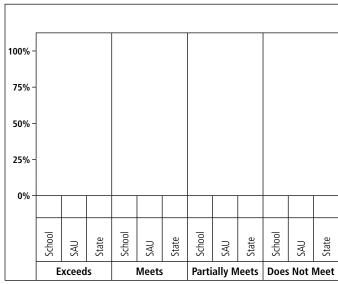
### **Summary of School, SAU, and State Scores**

Year	Avera	age Scaled S	Score
ieai	School	SAU	State
ELA – Reading 2005–2006 2006–2007 <b>2007–2008</b> Cum. Avg.*	736 743 <b>742</b> 740	736 743 <b>742</b> 740	745 748 <b>750</b> 748
Mathematics 2005–2006 2006–2007 <b>2007–2008</b> Cum. Avg. *	733 733 <b>728</b> 731	733 734 <b>728</b> 732	740 742 <b>743</b> 742









<sup>\*</sup>Cumulative averages are weighted, i.e., the scaled scores are averaged proportionally based on the numbers of students in each year.



## **SUMMARY OF STUDENT PARTICIPATION**

Test Date: March 2008

Grade: 7

SAU: MSAD 41

School: Penquis Valley High School

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CATEGORY OF	d	lurinç	g test	ting v	vindo	w			ELA-F	Readin	g				Mathe	matic	s											
PARTICIPATION	Sc	hool	S	AU	St	ate	Sc	hool	S	AU	St	ate	Sch	ool	S	AU	St	ate	Sch	ool	SA	AU	St	ate	Scl	nool	SAU	State
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n %	n %
Total number of students	59	100	54	100	14818	100	58	98	53	98	14698	99	58	98	53	98	14694	99										
Ethnicity African American/Black	1	2	1	2	381	3	1	100	1	100	372	98	1	100	1	100	375	99										
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0	0	0	0	113	1	0	0	0	0	112	99	0	0	0	0	112	99										
Asian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	219	1	0	0	0	0	213	97	0	0	0	0	217	99										
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	178	1	0	0	0	0	176	99	0	0	0	0	177	100										
Caucasian/White	58	98	53	98	13927	94	57	98	52	98	13825	99	57	98	52	98	13813	99										
Not Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Identified disability	18	31	15	28	2556	17	17	94	14	93	2508	99	17	94	14	93	2497	98										
Current LEP	0	0	0	0	363	2	0	0	0	0	352	97	0	0	0	0	360	99										
Economically disadvantaged	36	61	33	61	5461	37	35	97	32	97	5408	99	35	97	32	97	5406	99										
Migrant	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	1	100										

MODE OF			ELA-F	Readin	g			Mathe	ematics	3												
	Sc	hool	s	AU	State	Sch	ool	s	AU	Sta	ite	School	S	AU	S	tate	Sch	ool	SAU	J	Stat	te
PARTICIPATION <sup>3</sup>	n	%	n	%	n %	n	%	n	%	n	%	n %	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Participation without accommodations	44	75	42	78	12195 82	44	75	42	78	12215	82											
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	3	7	3	7	418 3	3	7	3	7	421	3											
LEP	0	0	0	0	183 2	0	0	0	0	183	1											
504 plan	2	5	2	5	181 1	2	5	2	5	182	1											
Participation with accommodations	14	24	11	20	2320 16	14	24	11	20	2303	16											
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	14	100	11	100	1912 82	14	100	11	100	1900	83											
LEP	0	0	0	0	159 7	0	0	0	0	173	8											
504 plan	0	0	0	0	56 2	0	0	0	0	55	2											
Other	0	0	0	0	244 11	0	0	0	0	226	10											
Participation through alternate assessment (PAAP)	0	0	0	0	178 1	0	0	0	0	176	1											
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	0	0	0	0	178 100	0	0	0	0	176	100											
LEP	0	0	0	0	5 3	0	0	0	0	4	2											
504 plan	0	0	0	0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0											
Approved non-participation in reading – 1st year LEP	0	0	0	0	5 0																	
Approved non-participation – special consideration	0	0	0	0	27 0	0	0	0	0	28	0											
Non-participation – other	1	2	1	2	93 1	1	2	1	2	96	1											

<sup>1</sup> Percents are the percentage of students enrolled in each participation category.

<sup>2</sup> Percents are the percentage of students, including those who participated through alternate assessment (PAAP), who participated in the content area.

**<sup>3</sup>** Percents are the percentage of students in each content area by mode.



### **ELA-READING RESULTS**

Test Date: March 2008 7

Grade:

**MSAD 41** SAU:

**Penquis Valley High School** School:

ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS		Sch	ool	SA	AU	Sta	ate
The quality of a student's work at each achievement level reflects progress in attaining Maine Level Expectations in English language arts – reading.	's Grade	N	%	N	%	N	%
Exceeds the Standards – The student's work demonstrates the ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level by drawing in-depth inferences, analyzing texts for subtle clues, synthesizing information across texts, and using his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to make deeper connections within or across texts to increase comprehension. (scaled score 761–780)	2005-2006	2	3	2	4	1769	11
	2006-2007	2	4	2	4	2630	18
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2604</b>	<b>18</b>
	Cum. Total*	10	6	10	6	7003	16
Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates the ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level by drawing inferences, summarizing main ideas and providing supporting details, connecting ideas within and across texts, and using his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to increase comprehension. (scaled score 741–760)	2005-2006	18	28	16	29	7521	49
	2006-2007	28	55	26	55	7605	51
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>8049</b>	<b>55</b>
	Cum. Total*	76	44	70	45	23175	52
Partially Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates an inconsistent ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level. The student's ability to draw inferences, summarize main ideas and provide supporting details, connect ideas within and across texts, and use his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices varies depending on the texts. (scaled score 729–740)	2005-2006	21	33	18	32	3773	24
	2006-2007	12	24	11	23	3000	20
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2672</b>	<b>18</b>
	Cum. Total*	42	24	37	24	9445	21
<b>Does Not Meet the Standards</b> – The student's work demonstrates a limited ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level. The student's responses are often vague or incorrect leaving the impression that the student found it difficult to draw inferences, summarize main ideas and provide supporting details, connect ideas within and across texts, or use his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to support comprehension. (scaled score 700–728)	2005-2006	23	36	20	36	2399	16
	2006-2007	9	18	8	17	1620	11
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>1190</b>	<b>8</b>
	Cum. Total*	45	26	39	25	5209	12

		nber	A	verage Poir	nts Attaine	d (Number	and Percer	nt)
Learning Results Content Standard Cluster		oints sible	Sch	ool	SA	ΑU	Sta	ite
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total Reading Cluster	56	100	29.8	53.2	30.4	54.3	35.3	63.0
Literary Text	28	50	14.1	50.4	14.5	51.8	17.3	61.8
Informational Text	28	50	15.7	56.1	15.9	56.8	18.0	64.3

The Maine Learning Results reading cluster includes Content Standards A (Process of Reading), B (Literature and Culture), and D (Informational Texts). The MEA assesses students' reading skills based on questions related to two types of reading passages: literary and informational. Passages include both long and short texts, selected from developmentally appropriate works. Items on the MEA measure Grade Level Expectations, based on Maine's 1997 Learning Results, which can be found at http://www.maine. gov/education/lsalt/gles.htm.



# **ELA-READING RESULTS**

(CONTINUED)

Test Date: March 2008

Grade: 7

SAU: MSAD 41

School: Penquis Valley High School

¥	School												SA	١U					Sta	ate		
REPORTING CATEGORIES	Tested		E		М		P		D	Mean Scaled	Tested	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled	Tested	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled
	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score
All Students	58	6	10	30	52	9	16	13	22	742	53	11	53	15	21	742	14515	18	55	18	8	750
Ethnicity African American/Black American Indian or Native Alaskan Asian or Pacific Islander Hispanic Caucasian/White Not Reported	1 0 0 0 57 0	6	11	30	53	9	16	12	21	742	1 0 0 0 52 0	12	54	15	19	743	365 110 211 173 13656 0	10 6 26 12 18	49 52 47 54 56	19 24 20 18 18	22 18 6 15 8	742 744 752 746 750
Identified disability Yes No	17 41	0	0 15	5 25	29 61	1 8	6 20	11 2	65 5	726 748	14 39	0 15	36 59	0 21	64 5	727 748	2330 12185	2 21	30 60	36 15	32 4	735 753
Current LEP Yes No	0 58	6	10	30	52	9	16	13	22	742	0 53	11	53	15	21	742	342 14173	8 18	46 56	22 18	24 8	741 750
Economically disadvantaged Yes No	35 23	3	9 13	16 14	46 61	7 2	20 9	9	26 17	740 744	32 21	9 14	47 62	22 5	22 19	741 745	5299 9216	9 23	51 58	26 14	14 5	745 753
Migrant Yes No	0 58	6	10	30	52	9	16	13	22	742	0 53	11	53	15	21	742	1 14514	18	55	18	8	750
Gender Female Male Not Reported	32 26 0	3 3	9 12	17 13	53 50	6 3	19 12	6 7	19 27	743 741	29 24 0	10 13	52 54	21 8	17 25	743 742	7084 7431 0	24 12	55 56	15 21	6 11	752 747
Title 1A targeted program Yes No	22 36	1 5	5 14	9 21	41 58	7 2	32 6	5 8	23 22	739 743	21 32	5 16	43 59	29 6	24 19	739 745	946 13569	6 19	47 56	34 17	12 8	743 750
Gifted/talented program Yes No	0 58	6	10	30	52	9	16	13	22	742	0 53	11	53	15	21	742	574 13941	61 16	38 56	1 19	0 9	765 749

E = Exceeds the Standards M = Meets the Standards P = Partially Meets the Standards D = Does Not Meet the Standards



# **ELA-READING RESULTS**

(QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

Test Date: March 2008

Grade: 7

SAU: MSAD 41

**Penquis Valley High School** School:

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QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS	Students in Each Category		E	ı	M		P	ı	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Jeore	%	%	%	%	%	30010	%	%	%	%	%	1
How much homework do you do on school nights? A. none B. less than one hour C. one to two hours D. more than two hours	19 60 21 0	1 5 0	9 15 0	2 21 6	18 62 50	2 5 2	18 15 17	6 3 4	55 9 33	730 747 738	17 62 21 0	11 16 0	22 59 55	11 16 18	56 9 27	731 746 740	6 50 40 4	9 17 20 19	42 56 58 49	24 19 16 21	25 8 6 11	741 750 752 749
How well do the questions that you have just been given on this MEA test match what you have learned in school about reading?  A. The questions on the test match what I have learned in reading class.  B. They match some of what I have learned.  C. They match just a little of what I have learned.  D. There is no match.	37 46 12 5	5 1 0	24 4 0 0	12 14 3 0	57 54 43 0	4 2 2 1	19 8 29 33	0 9 2 2	0 35 29 67	751 738 735 723	40 42 13 4	24 5 0	57 55 43 0	19 9 29 0	0 32 29 100	751 739 735 716	36 50 11 3	24 16 13 4	58 58 45 35	14 19 26 29	5 8 16 31	753 749 745 737
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in reading?  A. very good  B. good  C. fair  D. poor	20 41 29 11	4 2 0	36 9 0	5 16 7 0	45 70 44 0	1 1 6	9 4 38 17	1 4 3 5	9 17 19 83	750 746 738 717	22 41 27 10	36 10 0	45 71 43 0	9 5 36 20	9 14 21 80	750 747 738 718	28 52 18 2	35 15 3 2	52 60 49 41	9 18 33 28	5 7 15 29	756 750 742 738
How difficult was the reading part of this test?  A. harder than my regular schoolwork  B. about the same as my regular schoolwork  C. easier than my regular schoolwork	13 73 14	0 5 1	0 12 13	1 22 6	14 54 75	2 6 0	29 15 0	4 8 1	57 20 13	726 743 748	10 76 14	0 13 14	20 54 71	20 15 0	60 18 14	726 744 747	16 65 19	13 18 21	48 57 57	23 18 16	16 7 6	745 750 752
How difficult were the reading passages on this test?  A. Most of the passages were more difficult than what I normally read.  B. Most of the passages were about the same as what I normally read.  C. Most of the passages were easier than what I normally read.	11 59 30	1 4 1	17 12 6	0 17 12	0 52 71	1 5 2	17 15 12	4 7 2	67 21 12	725 743 745	12 63 25	17 13 8	0 53 77	17 16 8	67 19 8	725 744 747	9 55 36	5 14 28	38 57 58	29 22 10	28 7 4	738 748 755
How hard did you try on the reading part of this test?  A. I tried harder on this test than I do on my regular schoolwork.  B. I tried about the same as I do on my regular schoolwork.  C. I did not try as hard on this test as I do on my regular schoolwork.	56 38 5	5 1 0	16 5 0	18 11 0	58 52 0	5 3 0	16 14 0	3 6 3	10 29 100	746 740 713	56 38 6	18 5 0	61 53 0	14 16 0	7 26 100	748 741 713	44 51 5	18 19 9	56 56 46	18 17 26	8 7 19	750 751 743
How much time do you spend reading at home each day?  A. more than one hour  B. 20 minutes to an hour  C. less than 20 minutes  D. I rarely read at home.	18 33 18 32	2 2 1 1	20 11 10 6	5 11 4 9	50 58 40 50	0 2 3 4	0 11 30 22	3 4 2 4	30 21 20 22	744 742 739 741	17 29 19 35	22 13 10 6	56 60 40 50	0 7 30 22	22 20 20 22	748 743 739 741	17 45 13 24	25 22 14 8	57 56 56 53	13 16 21 26	6 6 9 13	753 752 748 745
Optional school/SAU question A. B.	50 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	100	719	57 0	0	0	0	100	719						
C. D.	38 13	0	0	0	0 0	0	67 0	1	33 100	727 714	43 0	0	0	67	33	727						

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### **MATHEMATICS RESULTS**

Test Date: March 2008 7

**Grade:** 

SAU: **MSAD 41** 

**Penquis Valley High School** School:

#### STUDENTS AT EACH ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL

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ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS		Sch	nool	SA	AU	Sta	ite
The quality of a student's work at each achievement level reflects progress in attaining Maine's Level Expectations in mathematics.	s Grade	N	%	N	%	N	%
Exceeds the Standards – The student's work demonstrates in-depth understanding of essential concepts in mathematics, including the ability to make multiple connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate the ability to synthesize information; analyze and solve difficult problems, including developing and implementing strategies, efficiently and accurately performing procedures, and recording and justifying solutions; and explain complex concepts. (scaled score 761–780)	2005-2006	1	2	1	2	1646	11
	2006-2007	0	0	0	0	2142	14
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2028</b>	<b>14</b>
	Cum. Total*	1	1	1	1	5816	13
Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates a general understanding of essential concepts in mathematics, including the ability to make connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate the ability to analyze and solve problems including developing and implementing strategies, to perform procedures, and to record and explain solutions and concepts. The student's work may contain minor errors. (scaled score 741–760)	2005-2006	19	30	17	30	5497	36
	2006-2007	18	35	17	36	5642	38
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>5703</b>	<b>39</b>
	Cum. Total*	50	29	47	30	16842	38
Partially Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates incomplete understanding of essential concepts in mathematics and inconsistent connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate some ability to analyze and solve problems, and explain concepts. Problem solving strategies may be flawed, procedures performed inaccurately, methods not recorded and/or problems not completed. (scaled score 727–740)	2005-2006	21	33	18	32	4514	29
	2006-2007	15	29	15	32	4077	27
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>3733</b>	<b>26</b>
	Cum. Total*	55	32	50	32	12324	27
<b>Does Not Meet the Standards</b> – The student's work demonstrates limited understanding of essential concepts in mathematics and infrequent or inaccurate connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate minimal ability to solve problems and explain concepts. Problem solving strategies and procedures are often flawed or inappropriate and there may be many omissions. (scaled score 700–726)	2005-2006	23	36	20	36	3797	25
	2006-2007	18	35	15	32	3001	20
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>3054</b>	<b>21</b>
	Cum. Total*	67	39	58	37	9852	22

	1	nber	Avera	ge Point	s Attaine	d (Numbe	r and Pe	rcent)
Learning Results Content Standard Clusters	of Poss	oints sible	Sch	iool	SA	<b>AU</b>	St	ate
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Cluster 1: Numbers and Operations	16	29	7.1	44.4	7.2	45.0	8.8	55.0
Cluster 2: Shape and Size	14	25	3.6	25.7	3.6	25.7	5.5	39.3
Cluster 3: Mathematical Decision Making	8	14	2.5	31.3	2.6	32.5	3.5	43.8
Cluster 4: Patterns	18	32	4.1	22.8	4.1	22.8	7.9	43.9

#### **Cluster 1: Numbers and Operations**

- A. Numbers and Number Sense
- B. Computation
- I. Discrete Mathematics (grades 3 and 4 only)

#### Cluster 2: Shape and Size

- E. Geometry
- F. Measurement

### **Cluster 3: Mathematical Decision Making**

- C. Data Analysis and Statistics
- D. Probability

#### **Cluster 4: Patterns**

- G. Patterns, Relations, and Functions
- H. Algebra Concepts
- K. Mathematical Communication

Each content standard in the clusters above is defined in Maine's 1997 Learning Results, which are the basis for Grade Level Expectations. Each item on the MEA measures a grade level expectation, which can be found at http://www.maine.gov/education/lsalt/gles.htm.

<sup>\*</sup>Percentages are calculated by dividing the cumulative total of the number of students in the achievement level by the cumulative total of the number of students tested.



# **MATHEMATICS RESULTS**

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Test Date: March 2008

Grade: 7

SAU: MSAD 41

School: Penquis Valley High School

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REPORTING CATEGORIES	Tested		E		М		p	ı	)	Mean Scaled	Tested	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled	Tested	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled
	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score
All Students	58	0	0	13	22	19	33	26	45	728	53	0	25	32	43	728	14518	14	39	26	21	743
Ethnicity African American/Black American Indian or Native Alaskan Asian or Pacific Islander Hispanic Caucasian/White Not Reported	1 0 0 0 57 0	0	0	13	23	19	33	25	44	728	1 0 0 0 52 0	0	25	33	42	729	372 110 216 175 13645 0	5 5 25 9 14	24 30 34 32 40	25 36 23 30 26	45 29 18 29 20	731 736 748 737 743
Identified disability Yes No	17 41	0 0	0	0 13	0 32	2 17	12 41	15 11	88 27	711 735	14 39	0	0 33	14 38	86 28	711 735	2321 12197	2 16	16 44	26 26	55 15	727 746
Current LEP Yes No	0 58	0	0	13	22	19	33	26	45	728	0 53	0	25	32	43	728	356 14162	7 14	23 40	24 26	45 20	731 743
Economically disadvantaged Yes No	35 23	0 0	0	7 6	20 26	10 9	29 39	18 8	51 35	725 732	32 21	0 0	22 29	28 38	50 33	726 732	5301 9217	5 19	31 44	31 23	33 14	736 747
Migrant Yes No	0 58	0	0	13	22	19	33	26	45	728	0 53	0	25	32	43	728	1 14517	14	39	26	21	743
Gender Female Male Not Reported	32 26 0	0 0	0 0	7 6	22 23	12 7	38 27	13 13	41 50	729 726	29 24 0	0 0	24 25	34 29	41 46	729 728	7086 7432 0	14 14	40 38	26 25	20 22	743 743
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Gifted/talented program Yes No	0 58	0	0	13	22	19	33	26	45	728	0 53	0	25	32	43	728	575 13943	64 12	31 40	3 27	1 22	765 742

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**NOTE:** Some achievement level results have been left blank because fewer than five (5) students were tested.

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# **MATHEMATICS RESULTS**

(QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

Test Date: March 2008

Grade: 7

SAU: MSAD 41

**Penquis Valley High School** School:

	School										SAU						State					
QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS		E /		М		Р		D		Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	Each E		Р	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
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How much homework do you do on school nights? A. none B. less than one hour C. one to two hours D. more than two hours	19 60 21 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	2 9 2	18 26 17	2 13 4	18 38 33	7 12 6	64 35 50	719 733 723	17 62 21 0	0 0 0	22 28 18	22 34 36	56 38 45	721 733 724	6 50 40 4	7 13 15 16	29 39 42 37	26 26 26 23	37 22 17 24	734 742 744 742
How well do the questions that you have just been given on this MEA test match what you have learned in school about mathematics?  A. The questions on the test match what I have learned in mathematics class.	11	0	0	0	0	2	33	4	67	719	12	0	0	33	67	719	32	21	40	23	16	747
B. They match some of what I have learned.     C. They match just a little of what I have learned.     D. There is no match.	56 25 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	9 2 2	28 14 40	12 5 0	38 36 0	11 7 3	34 50 60	731 727 727	56 25 8	0 0 0	31 15 50	34 38 0	34 46 50	731 729 728	50 15 3	12 7 4	42 32 17	27 31 21	19 30 58	743 737 726
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in mathematics?  A. very good  B. good  C. fair  D. poor	9 30 32 30	0 0 0	0 0 0	3 5 3 2	60 29 17 12	0 7 7 5	0 41 39 29	2 5 8 10	40 29 44 59	736 735 728 720	8 31 33 29	0 0 0	75 31 18 13	0 44 35 27	25 25 47 60	743 736 728 720	25 47 23 5	34 10 3 1	42 45 30 17	13 27 36 32	11 18 32 49	753 743 735 729
How difficult was the mathematics part of this test?  A. harder than my regular schoolwork  B. about the same as my regular schoolwork  C. easier than my regular schoolwork	46 45 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	7 6 0	27 24 0	9 7 3	35 28 60	10 12 2	38 48 40	732 727 723	49 41 10	0 0 0	28 29 0	36 24 60	36 48 40	732 728 723	36 53 11	6 13 40	38 42 32	29 27 15	27 18 13	738 744 753
How hard did you try on the mathematics part of this test?  A. I tried harder on this test than I do on my regular schoolwork.  B. I tried about the same as I do on my regular schoolwork.  C. I did not try as hard on this test as I do on my regular schoolwork.	57 39 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	8 5 0	25 23 0	13 5 1	41 23 50	11 12 1	34 55 50	731 726 723	56 40 4	0 0 0	28 24 0	38 24 50	34 52 50	731 726 723	46 49 5	12 16 10	40 40 27	27 25 27	21 19 36	742 744 736
How often do you use laptops in mathematics class?  A. almost every day  B. two or three days a week  C. two or three times each month  D. never or almost never	9 5 2 84	0 0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 13	0 0 0 28	1 1 0 16	20 33 0 34	4 2 1 18	80 67 100 38	708 719 712 731	8 4 2 86	0 0 0	0 0 0 30	25 50 0 32	75 50 100 39	710 723 712 731	9 20 30 41	15 13 15 13	37 41 40 39	25 26 27 26	23 20 18 23	742 743 744 742
How often do you use calculators in mathematics class?  A. almost every day  B. two or three days a week  C. two or three times a month  D. never or almost never	47 37 9 7	0 0 0 0	0 0 0	6 6 1 0	22 29 20 0	11 6 1	41 29 20 25	10 9 3 3	37 43 60 75	730 730 728 710	50 35 10 6	0 0 0	23 33 20 0	42 22 20 33	35 44 60 67	730 730 728 713	20 29 26 24	17 16 13 10	39 40 40 39	23 25 28 27	22 19 20 24	744 744 743 740
On average, how many minutes a day do you spend working on mathematics in class?  A. less than 30 minutes  B. 30–45 minutes  C. 45–60 minutes  D. more than 60 minutes	5 44 39 12	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 5 6 2	0 20 27 29	1 7 10 1	33 28 45 14	2 13 6 4	67 52 27 57	717 727 734 721	6 40 40 13	0 0 0 0	0 24 29 29	33 29 43 14	67 48 29 57	717 729 734 721	8 41 41 10	7 12 17 15	32 38 42 38	26 27 24 25	35 23 16 22	736 741 745 743
Optional school/SAU question A. B. C. D.	50 0 38 13	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 1 0	0 33 0	4 2 1	100 67 100	706 715 700	57 0 43 0	0	0	0 33	100 67	706 715						

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